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APPLICATION NO. : 10/009,627  
APPLICANT : ISAMU UEMASU ET AL.  
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FOR : METHOD AND EQUIPMENT FOR CONTINUOUS AND  
SELECTIVE INCLUSION SEPARATION  
ART UNIT : 1623  
EXAMINER : D. KHARE

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

SIR: .

In response to the Office Action dated June 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.